GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4430
ANSWERED ON:22.12.2005
SCHOOLS/COLLEGES/HOSTELS/TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTRES FOR SCS AND OBCS
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government provides financial assistance to the States/Union Territories for opening and expansion of schools/boarding schools/colleges/hostels/ technical training centres for SCs and OBCs;

(b) if so, the details of proposals received from various States/Union Territories in this regard and the financial assistance allocated/released thereunder during 2004-05 and 2005-06, State/Union Territory-wise;

(c) the number of proposals pending with the Union Government in this regard, particularly from Gujarat;

(d) the reasons for their pendency; and

(e) the time by which these proposals are likely lo be cleared?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRIMATI SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) Yes Sir. Government is providing financial assistance to the States/Union Territories under the Scheme of Hostels for SCs and OBCs.

(b) There is no State/UT wise allocation of funds under the said schemes. However, the details of funds requested/released to States/Union Territories during 2004-05 and 2005-06 for SCs and OBCs are given in the statement-I and II respectively.

(c) 5 proposals are pending for SCs and 7 for OBCs including the proposal of State of Gujarat.

(d) Proposals in respect SCs are pending due to paucity of funds. Proposals in respect of Backward Classes are held up for want of additional documents from the State Governments/UT Administration.

(e) These proposals will be considered on availability of sufficient funds in case of SCs. Proposals for Backward Classes will be considered as soon as State Governments/UT Administration furnish the requisite documents.

Statement-I

Central Assistance requested/released to various States/UTs under the scheme of Hostels for SCs Boys and Girls Hostels.

S.No.	States/UTs	2004-05		2005-06	
		Funds requested	Amount sanctioned	Funds requested	Amount sanctioned
1	Andhra Pradesh	3650.00	700.00	5563.00	0
2	Chhattisgarh	196.90	196.90	398.05	0
3	Gujarat	0	0	0	60.00
4	Himachal Pradesh	0	0	1907.53	1907.53
5	Jharkhand	206.94	206.94	222.88	222.88
6	Jammu and Kashmir	0	0	6.39	6.39
7	Karnataka	593.87	593.87	0	0
8	Kerala	152.21	152.21	0	0
9	Pondicherry	0	0	242.52	50.00
10	Punjab	0	0	0	0
11	Rajasthan	0	0	96.75	96.75
12	Tamil Nadu	1275.00	1275.75	0	0
13	Tripura	158.83	158.83	0	151.89
14	Uttar Pradesh	0	0	395.67	395.67
15	Uttaranchal	95.81	95.81	0	0

Total 7627.80 3435.28 8044.69 2891.11

Statement-II

Central Assistance requested/released to various States/UTs under the scheme of Hostels for OBCs Boys and Girls Hostels.

S.No	States/UTs	2004-05		2005-06	
		Funds requested	Amount sanctioned	Funds requested	Amount sanctioned
1	Andhra Pradesh	440.00	330.00	781.00	330.00
2	Assam	8.00	0	20.00	0
3	Bihar	0	0	287.00	0
4	Chhattisgarh	133.00	133.00	0	0
5	Gujarat	138.00	138.00	150.00	0
6	Himachal Pradesh	42.00	42.00	140.00	0
7	Jharkhand	97.00	97.00	86.00	0
8	Jammu and Kashmir	0	O	546.00	0
9	Karnataka	0	0	259.00	259.00
10	Kerala	48.50	0	48.50	48.50
11	Manipur	233.00	0	233.00	0
12	Madhya Pradesh	91.50	91.50	120.00	120.00
13	Orissa	0	0	3.00	0
14	Pondicherry	371.00	50.00	0	0
15	Punjab	0	0	58.00	0
16	Rajasthan	0	0	52.00	0
17	Tamil Nadu	630.00	157.50	787.00	205.00
18	Tripura	27.00	27.00	39.00	39.00
19	Uttar Pradesh	355.00	212.00	249.00	71.00
20	West Bengal	0	0	97.00	0
	Total	2475.00	12.76	4252.00	10.72